

## Scholarship announcement for TESOL's Online Professional Development Courses

The Regional English Language Office (RELO) of the U.S. Embassy in New Delhi is pleased to offer scholarships for two separate online professional development courses offered by TESOL International for teachers of English in India on:

- 1) *Principles and Practices of Online Teaching* and
- 2) *Training of Trainers: Strengthening English Language Programs*

These courses will be offered in U.S. Fall (October – November 2012)

### **Recruitment**

Candidates for this Scholarship should be teacher trainers or course designers who teach and design online or face-to-face English language courses. They should be highly motivated individuals who are dedicated both to their own professional development and to sharing the knowledge gained with colleagues through workshops or professional presentations. For selection, we highlight the importance of the following requirements:

- (a) Level of English necessary for a typical university-level course at American universities
- (b) Regular and dependable access to the Internet
- (c) ability to type in English well enough to perform on-line tasks in real-time and to submit written assignments in a timely manner.
- (d) For selection, we highlight the importance of the following requirements:
- (e) **Commitment to spend the necessary 10-15 hours/week throughout the course**

### **Course Description**

TESOL's "Principles and Practices of Online Teaching" certificate program is designed for the experienced and the inexperienced online English language teacher and course designer. Whether you design and deliver courses that are fully or partially run online, the "Principles and Practices of Online Teaching" program **will help develop the skills you need to effectively teach English language courses online or blend online segments with your traditional face-to-face courses.**

Please check TESOL's website < <http://www.tesol.org/attend-and-learn/online-courses-programs/tesol-training-of-trainers>> for details about Training of Trainers course.

### **Course fees**

The scholarship which the Regional English Language Office, New Delhi, will award covers tuition fees and material costs.

**Action Required:** If you are interested in this scholarship opportunity, please contact [KhannaS@state.gov](mailto:KhannaS@state.gov).

Deadline for submitting applications – Tuesday, August 7, 2012.